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In re Application of: **PAU ET AL.**

Serial No.: **09/390,554**

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For: **METHOD AND SCALABLE ARCHITECTURE FOR PARALLEL
CALCULATION OF THE DCT OF BLOCKS OF PIXELS OF
DIFFERENT SIZES AND COMPRESSION THROUGH FRACTAL CODING**

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

☐ Applicant qualifies as a small entity under 37 CFR § 1.27.

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